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**The Purpose:** This sale was developed by the Rexall Company as an advertising plan. The company sacrifices its profits, and something besides, in order to get a larger distribution of its meritorious products and you get the benefit. Call at our store for large bill.

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## Rhodes' Pharmacy

THE REXALL STORE

1st door west American Clothing House

BUTLER, MO.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Steele, of Nevada, attended the funeral of T. J. Walton, in this city, Wednesday of last week.

Lots of extra size skirts, Walker-McKibben's.

Mrs. G. M. Moore and children, Katherine and Ben, of Kansas City, are guests at the home of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Fisk and Mr. Fisk.

Red onion sets, 25c per gallon, at D. O. Deacon's, South Side.

Tom Walton, who was called to this city last week by the death of his grandfather, T. J. Walton, has returned to his studies at Westminster college.

Special black Taffeta Silk, \$1.48, Walker-McKibben's.

Bulk cucumber seed, all kinds, at D. O. Deacon's, South Side.

Mrs. Sam Walls, of Adrian, and her sister, Mrs. Chas. Hedges, of Independence, visited Butler friends, Friday.

Fine room rugs on sale, Walker-McKibben's.

Mrs. H. O. Maxey and little daughter, Maurita, have returned from a visit with relatives at Medill, Oklahoma.

True seed navy beans for seed at D. O. Deacon's, South Side.

For Sale—Three Ford cars in good condition, 1914, 1916 and 1917 models, 31-11 Jefferson Highway Garage.

Men's new neckwear, 65c, Walker-McKibben's.

Miss Luna Kinney, a graduate of the Butler High School, has been employed to teach the intermediate grades at the Amsterdam school. She taught the past year at Passaic.

Wayne Knit Hosiery, Walker-McKibben's.

Clarence Smith and sister, Mrs. J. T. Cross and her daughter, Miss Sallie, who were called here by the death of T. J. Smith, returned to their home at Smith Grove, Kentucky, the last of the week.

Quaker Lace curtains, Walker-McKibben's.

Mrs. Byron Pipes returned the last of the week from Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, where she has been for the past two months to be near her husband, who is a member of the 110th signal corps, which has been ordered from Ft. Sill to an eastern post and presumably will sail in a short time for France.

Professor Alphonse Gorrell, who recently resigned his position as principal of the Butler High School, has been elected principal of the Poplar Bluff High School with a handsome advance in salary. During the coming summer he will teach agriculture at the Springfield State Normal School.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Barber, of this city, have received word that the ambulance company, recruited in Kansas City, and of which their son, Harry, is a member, has been moved from Camp Doniphan, where it has been in training for several months, to an eastern port, and would be sent to France within a short time.

One of the most severe windstorms of recent years visited this locality Wednesday night of last week. Reports from different parts of the county would indicate that but little damage was done. In town the principal damage was caused by trees being blown across the light and telephone wires, many of which were broken.

Mrs. C. A. Lusk has received a cablegram from her husband, Captain C. A. Lusk, of the army medical department, saying that he had arrived safely in France. Dr. Lusk entered the medical officers training camp at Camp Funston last summer and was afterwards transferred to Camp Doniphan from where he went to France with the 35th division.

Almost a family reunion occurred Sunday at the home of W. W. Van Dyke, when his father, John W. Van Dyke, of Rich Hill, and his three brothers, Millard, of Wier City, Kan., and Harry and Ray, of Butler, visited him. Ray was accompanied by Miss Knight Douglas, also of Butler. It was the first time the four brothers had all been together in ten years. Metz Times.

Fred Steele bought from H. D. Requa, southeast of Butler a bunch of corned steers that averaged 1315 pounds, costing an average of \$211.70 per head, being the highest price paid by a shipper for cattle of this weight in this territory. Mr. Steele also bought from E. Robbins of the same neighborhood 50 head of stock cattle. These cattle were shipped to Kansas City Wednesday.—Friday's Rich Hill Daily Review.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Walker arrived in the city Saturday to make a short visit with Mr. Walker's brothers, D. K. and John S. Walker. They were en route from Wichita, Kansas, where they had been visiting another brother, to their home in Columbus, Ohio. They were called here a few weeks ago by the death of Sergeant Elliott Walker, after which they went to Wichita to make a brief visit, but while there Mr. Walker had the misfortune to break his leg and the visit was prolonged.

New kaffir and feterita of high germination at D. O. Deacon's, South Side.

Dr. W. E. Lampton attended the state osteopathic convention at Kansas City last week.

Buy rugs now and save big money, Walker-McKibben's.

Mrs. Finley Porter, and daughter, Lois, of St. Louis, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wood.

Large field pumpkin, 60c pound, 5c oz., at D. O. Deacon's, South Side.

Honey Dew, Rocky Ford, Burrell Gem, Nutmeg, Banana muskmelon and all the other favorites at D. O. Deacon's, South Side.

E. & W. dress shirts, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, Walker-McKibben's.

Paul Walton, of southeast of town, left the first of the week for El Dorado Springs, where he expects to remain for some time.

"Slug Shot" kills all leaf eating insects. Sold by D. O. Deacon.

Mrs. S. A. Eckles came down from Kansas City the last of the week and is visiting with relatives and friends a few miles southeast of town.

Extra good black taffeta silk skirts, \$10.00, Walker-McKibben's.

J. S. Ehart, a prominent young farmer on route 6 has enrolled as a reader of The Times, during the past week. Mr. Ehart says that crops are looking better in his part of the country than for many years past.

Lost—Wool saddle blanket, blue with red stripes. Lost about 3 weeks ago between Butler and the Newton place. Reward.

Geo. K. Newlon, Butler, Mo. Phone 12 on 25. 31-11

J. J. McKee, a prominent farmer of southeast of town was taken to Kansas City Sunday where he entered a hospital to undergo a severe surgical operation. He was accompanied by his son, James, and physician, Dr. Lockwood.

Extra large Jumbo peanuts for seed, at D. O. Deacon's, South Side.

C. L. and Leo Westhoff, of the north part of the county, were county seat visitors Tuesday. Both young men are in the draft limit but as they have families and are extensively engaged in farming they no doubt will be left at home to supply wheat for the boys "over there."

All kinds yarn, crochet cotton, knitting needles, Walker-McKibben's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ludwick have a letter from their son, Frank, who recently completed a course in photography at the army aviation photographic school at Rochester, New York, in which he said that he had been sent to Ithica, New York, where he is taking an advanced course at the Cornell university.

Kentucky Wonder pole beans at D. O. Deacon's, South Side.

Alex Snider came from Booneville Sunday and spent the day in this city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Snider. Mr. Snider, who for some time has been editor of the Booneville Republican, was once a Butler newspaper man, being for several years connected with the Daily Democrat. He was on his way to Little Rock, Arkansas, where he expected to enter an officers training school at Camp Pike. He tried some time ago for the aviation corps, but was rejected on account of lack of weight.

New wash skirts, extra good—shrink grades, \$5.00, \$6.00, Walker-McKibben's.

Mrs. W. H. Hupp last week received a card saying that her son, Sergeant George Hupp, of the quartermasters corps, had arrived safely in France. Before sailing for France the men were permitted to write cards announcing their safe arrival "over there." The cards were left in charge of the officers of the Y. M. C. A. and were mailed to the folks back home when a cablegram was received telling of the arrival of the ship. It is likely that the entire 35th division is either on the way to France, or has already landed.

Mrs. Martha Cady, who attained the advanced age of 94 years and four months, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Bennett at Lapinville, this county, Saturday, May 11, 1918. She had lived in this county for about half a century. The funeral took place on Sunday, conducted by Rev. Hayes of the M. E. church. Mart Bennett of Pittsburg, Kas., a son of Mrs. Mary Bennett, his married daughter and her two daughters were present at the funeral, representing five generations in attendance.—Rich Hill Review.

Uncle Lewis Eichler, one of the Times oldest and most appreciated friends was in town the other day and dropped into the office to exchange views on the war situation. Uncle Lewis keeps himself well posted and his views on almost any subject are worth listening to. He says that the crops in his neighborhood could not look better and that the farmers are doing their part to help win the war by raising bumper crops of all kinds and so far it would seem that nature is also helping by furnishing sunshine and showers in about the proper proportion.

Hal Travis suffered an attack of acute indigestion Monday morning. For a time his condition was rather critical, but he recovered and has concluded that he will Hooverize for a time.

Bates county relatives have received the news of the death of the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Verne Wells, which occurred last week at Garlington, Oklahoma. The little one was a great granddaughter of Mrs. Elmira Fickenger.

Mrs. Ada Stokes, of route seven, made this office an appreciated call while in the city one day the last of the week. She reports some damage done in her neighborhood by the wind storm Wednesday night of last week. At her home a stove silo was overturned and completely demolished.

Rev. S. J. Starkey, pastor of the M. E. church, South, Mrs. Starkey and the twins, Elberta and Eloise, left the first of the week for Okmulgee, Oklahoma, where Mrs. Starkey and the children will spend some time visiting relatives. From there they will go to West Plains where they will remain for the summer, or until Rev. Starkey returns from his duties with the army Y. M. C. A., in which he has enlisted. He expects to report for duty about the middle of next month.

### North New Home.

Well, we lost out last week on account of sickness in our neighborhood.

Orval Pickett and wife of Croft, Kas., came Wednesday to be with her father, Mr. Linendoll, in his sickness. Mrs. Linendoll's brother, Mr. Perkins and wife and her sister-in-law and niece, Mrs. Miller of Platte county, Mo., were called here on account of sickness. They returned home Thursday night.

Milt Reeves and wife visited relatives north of Virginia Friday.

Mrs. J. L. Jones and Miss Thelma Richmond were callers at Frank Roman's Friday afternoon.

Ed Cameron and family, Fred Wright, wife and son, visited at John Phelps Sunday.

Warne Keeton, wife and baby spent Sunday with Schuyler Ehart and wife.

Miss Thelma Richmond spent Sunday and Monday with her cousin, Miss Nellie Skaggs.

### HOMER LINENDOLL DEAD

Our vicinity was saddened by the death of Mr. Homer Linendoll. He died at his home Thursday, May 2nd, at 5 p. m. after a week's sickness of pneumonia and stomach trouble. Funeral services were conducted at the home Friday morning at 9 o'clock by Rev. Keele. He leaves a wife, one son, Albert, and a daughter, Mrs. Orval Pickett, of Croft, Kan. They left on the 11 o'clock train for Platte county, where he was laid to rest. The family returned home Sunday. The many friends of Mrs. Linendoll and family extend their heartfelt sympathy in their hour of bereavement.

Cliff Ehart wife, and little daughter, Edith, spent Sunday with Milt Reeves and wife.

Jim Simpson spent Sunday with his parents, Mat Simpson and wife.

Willie Simpson and wife spent Sunday with Jess Fleming and wife.

Mrs. J. L. Jones has purchased a new organ for her daughter, Hazle.

Rev. Keele preached at New Hope Sunday and Sunday night.

Walter Strein has a new Ford car.

Mrs. McCormack is not so well at this writing.

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### Church Action Vetoed.

Atlanta, Ga., May 14.—The college of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, today vetoed the action of the general conference of the church giving full laity rights to women, and also reversed the change by the conference of the words of the ritual "Holy Catholic church" to "Christ's Holy Holy church."

The bishops held the action of the conference was illegal; that both measures must be submitted to the annual conferences and that not until two-thirds of the annual conferences voted for the changes could the action of the general conference be held constitutional.

A motion to adhere to the action of the general conference on laity rights for women was ruled out of order by Bishop Hendrix, but on appeal the motion was sustained and the conference voted to ratify its former action. Both questions will now be submitted to the annual conferences.

### Prize Cattle Lost at Sea.

London, May 11 (by mail).—It is announced that a consignment of blue ribbon cattle, recently dispatched from this country to the United States for breeding purposes, has been lost at sea. It was regarded as the largest and most valuable collection of Short-horns that has ever been exported from England. The cattle were collected from all the leading herds in England, Scotland and Ireland and were valued at \$200,000.

The Mutual Life Insurance Co., of New York

Otis C. Baker, Butler, Mo., Representative. Phone 62. 30-21

### MISSOURI NOTES.

J. P. Titsworth, at one time treasurer of Cass county, a well known live stock commission man died at his home in Kansas City Friday of last week.

Miss Claude Howell, 35 years old, weighing 611 pounds and in a side show with the Tom W. Allen shows at Sedalia, died Friday morning with pneumonia. A special casket was ordered from Kansas City.

State Auditor Hackman Saturday submitted to Governor Gardner a report that R. M. Dorrance of Kansas City, ousted last night as secretary of the state board of barbers' examiners, was short \$504.53 in his accounts.

Fire in the mill of the Wabash car department at Moberly early Thursday morning destroyed the entire structure as well as the machinery, entailing an estimated loss of \$75,000. The belief is held the fire was of incendiary origin.

Governor Gardner Saturday appointed "Doc" Bryden of Stoddard county to be state land reclamation commissioner vice Dr. E. H. Bullock, who was named yesterday as director of the city board of health of Kansas City. Bryden is secretary of the Democratic state committee.

Safe blowers Friday night opened the safe of the Minden State Bank and obtained at least \$500. Nothing was known of the robbery until Saturday morning when the bank force came to work. The loot was in silver, but the bank officers have not yet been able to check up to determine exactly how much more is missing.

St. Louis, who some folks suspected had rather more than its share of German-Americans, if there is such a creature, has dropped the study of German from its public schools. Kansas City, who boasts of being the most typically American City in the United States still retains the study in its schools.

The farmers of Dade county are setting aside one acre of their farms which they call Victory Acre. The products of the acre sold and the proceeds invested in thrift stamps and war saving certificates. The War Saving committee hopes through the organization to secure the unstinted patriotic co-operation of the farmers of the county.

The Missouri Public Service Commission Saturday afternoon issued an order increasing street car fare in St. Louis from 5 to 6 cents. The United Railway company of that city, in its application for a higher fare, made much the same showing as that which has been made by the Kansas City Railway company in its similar application now pending.

The resignation of Brigadier Arthur B. Donnelly, of the Missouri National Guard, has been accepted "for the good of the service." This announcement was authorized tonight by Adjutant McCain, but he declined to discuss the case. General Donnelly was charged with conduct unbecoming an officer and his trial by court martial was suspended today by order of President Wilson soon after it had begun in New York.

The Kansas City negro who has had the police force of that town up in the air for the last few weeks, by assaulting women in their homes while they were using every endeavor to capture him finally tackled the wrong woman. Friday morning he entered the home of Mrs. Mary Hoffman. He seized her by the throat and was choking her when she managed to get hold of a butcher knife and slashed him across the face and in the abdomen. He escaped from the house but later was arrested when he applied at a hospital to have his wounds dressed. He was identified by Mrs. Hoffman.

### TWELVE TO ARMY MONDAY

Bates County Boys Left Monday Night for Jefferson Barracks.

Eleven of Bates county's registrants and one Idaho registrant left Monday night for Jefferson Barracks where they will be drafted into the Federal service.

Those going were: Albert V. Williams, Benj. O. Bearce, Wm. Thos. Brooks, Chas. L. Mansfield, Floyd W. Jarred, Fay P. Weddle, James A. Lynn, Beverly Maddox, Oran B. Hyde, Jake W. Walters, Lester R. Pfost, James W. Barr, Chas. H. Biggerstaff, of Spruce, entered the radio service at Ft. Leavenworth by voluntary induction.

To Register at County Seat.

The Local Board has received notice that the registration of the young men coming 21 since registration day last year, will be held in the county seat town. The date for the registration has not yet been set, but it will probably be in June. At the registration last year the registrants were permitted to register at their township voting places.

## Joan, the Woman

—said to be one of the best pictures ever screened, will be given at the

Opera House

**Tuesday Night, May 21**

with Geraldine Farrar taking the leading part, for the

**Benefit of the Bates County Chapter  
AMERICAN RED CROSS**

This picture cost over \$80,000 to produce, but through the kindness of C. L. Fisk we have been able to get it at a low price and the admission will only be

Children 25c, Gallery 35c, all Seats Below 50c

Everyone in the county is urged to see this picture. Remember, the proceeds are for the Red Cross.